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In re Patent Application of) MAIL STOP MAIL STOP AF
Paul K. Shufflebotham et al.) Group Art Unit: 1763
Application No.: 09/775,664) Examiner: RUDY ZERVIGON
Filing Date: February 5, 2001	Confirmation No.: 9320
Title: INDUCTIVELY COUPLED PLASMA CVD ·))))

AMENDMENT/REPLY TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir: Enclosed is a reply for the above-identified patent application. A Petition for Extension of Time is enclosed. П П under 37 C.F.R. § 1.20(d) are enclosed. \boxtimes Also enclosed is/are: Notice of Appeal Small entity status is hereby claimed. Applicant(s) requests continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and enclose the \(\Bigcap \\$ 395 \) \(\Bigcap \\$ 790 \) fee due under 37 C.F.R. \(\Bigcap \) 1.17(e). Applicant(s) requests that any previously unentered after final amendments not be П entered. Continued examination is requested based on the enclosed documents identified above. Applicant(s) previously submitted _ П continued examination is requested. Applicant(s) requests suspension of action by the Office until at least , which does not exceed three months from the filing of this RCE, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c). The required fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) is enclosed. A Request for Entry and Consideration of Submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.129(a) (1809/2809) is also enclosed.

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	An additional claim fee is required, and is calculated as shown below:

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Total Claims	20	22	0	x \$ 50 (1202)	\$	0
Independent Claims	3	3	0	x \$ 200 (1201)		0
☐ If Amendment adds multiple dependent claims, add \$ 360 (1203)			\$	0		
Total Claim Amendment Fee			\$	0		
☐ Small Entity Status claimed - subtract 50% of Total Claim Amendment Fee				0		
TOTAL ADDITIONAL CLAIM FEE DUE FOR THIS AMENDMENT			\$	0		

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Respectfully submitted,

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NOTICE OF APPEAL

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Sir:

All finally rejected claims in the decision of the Primary Examiner dated April 11, 2	.006 are
hereby appealed to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences.	

	The appeal fee was previously paid on now required.	Therefore, no Appeal is
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	Small entity status is hereby claimed.	-
The	Director is hereby authorized to charge any a	ppropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in duplicate.

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